

BULLETIN:

Child and Adult Care Food Program

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Program changes as a result of USDA Policy Memos and Technical Assistance Memos are to be implemented immediately. Please file this bulletin for reference, guidance and compliance with the Child and Adult Care Food Program. Feel free to call the Child Nutrition Programs office if you need further clarification.

USDA Policy, Information and Implementation Memos

- 1. USDA Policy Memo TA 07-2010 Revised Guidance for Accepting Processed Product Documentation for Meal Pattern Requirements (MPR)
- 2. USDA Policy Memo CACFP 10-2013 Guidance Related to the ADA Amendments Act
- 3. USDA Policy Memo CACFP 11-2013 Q&A Regarding the Participation of Head Start Programs in Child Nutrition Programs
- 4. USDA Policy Memo CACFP 12-2013 Transitioning from the Summer Food Service Program to the CACFP At-risk Afterschool Meals

Bulletin Topics

- 5. MyPlate Anniversary Celebration
- 6. Cooking Up Nutrition workshop for CACFP CANCELLED for August 8th & 9th

1. USDA Policy Memo TA 07-2013 Revised Guidance for Accepting Processed Product Documentation for Meal Pattern Requirements (MPR)

This memorandum is being reissued with updated references and web links. It highlights common issues related to inaccurate or misleading product literature, product labels, and fact sheets and provides guidance about how product literature can be used to make purchasing decisions.

2. USDA Policy Memo CACFP 10-2013 Guidance Related to the ADA Amendments Act

This policy memo provides additional information about the amended Federal definition of disability. The state agency will provide more information in the future regarding the application of the expanded definition of disability in our Child Nutrition Programs.

3. USDA Policy Memo CACFP 11-2013 Q&A Regarding the Participation of Head Start Programs in Child Nutrition Programs

The policy memo consolidates the policy regarding the participation of Head Start Programs in the Child Nutrition Programs.

4. USDA Policy Memo CACFP 12-2013 Transitioning from the Summer Food Service Program to the CACFP At-risk Afterschool Meals

This memorandum highlights flexibilities available to Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) sponsors transitioning into the At-risk Afterschool Meals component of the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) during the school year.

5. MyPlate Anniversary Celebration

MyPlate is having its two year anniversary starting June 2nd. Read the attached information to participate.

6. Cooking Up Nutrition (CACFP – August 8th & 9th) cancelled

The recipes, etc. provided at the May Cooking Up Nutrition Workshop will be distributed at the fall training.

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